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Alberta at Seattle Fair

Visitors Learn of Alberta

A clear, fresh, beautiful show in Seattle sounds like an anomaly. To those who have associated in their minds the idea of the noisy, brick-paved, clattering, dirty, booming metropolis of Puget Sound with the A. Y. P. Exposition, a visit to the fair grounds comes in the form of a great but delightful awakening. In all the exhibitions that the United States has produced in the last two decades there never has been, and probably never can be, anything prettier than Seattle has to offer. Seattle is a lucky town. Its luck has followed it in the fair business as in everything else. When they started out to look for grounds they found right in their hands. In the University site, the finest grounds that nature could provide. Lying between Lake Washington and Lake Union, timbered with the natural woods which have wonderful good luck escaped the forest fires, the land undulating and picturesque, the scenic artist and the architect found ready to hand the ideal in natural beauty upon which to construct their White City, and in their construction they took full advantage of all the natural advantages. The buildings are architectural triumphs. The grass plots are as pretty as an English lawn. Only the fact that the winding paths are asphalt removes the feeling that the whole thing is some great park. And there is a harmony in design and a sequence in construction which proves that over all some master artist mind presided to bring out one great scheme of a city, dreamily beautiful.

Next to the beautiful, the thing that strikes the visitor most forcibly is the quietness with which the whole thing is carried out. Away from the grounds, down in the crowded city, the whole Seattle idea seems to be to make a row. The town is blatant, crude, riotous in its clamor. There is no cessation by day or by night. Two hundred and fifty thousand people seem to be unanimously endeavoring to create a universal din. A whole fire brigade would pass down the streets of a Canadian city with less noise than one of their street cars makes on Second avenue. The most ordinary business seems to require a clamor to accompany its terms to be all wrap-

ped up in a transaction, in fact the Seattle spirit will desire to make a noise.

But what a wonderful contrast out at the fair grounds. Here forty or fifty thousand people a day move about and are taken care of with the quietness, a neatness and a complacency that is, or should be, an object lesson to the anti-noise societies of the world. The whole thing shows a wonderful organization in which the main idea seems to have been to allow visitors to see the exhibits free from the nerve-racking noises of the city. In fact, one hundred yards away from the blatant Pay Streak, there is not a jarring sound; nothing but the subdued hum the thousands of voices as they pass from building to building.

Next to this the great and distinguishing feature is the astonishing amount of money that have been laid out by Washington and Oregon counties to display their respective allurements. The several states have their respective buildings in all their splendor, but this was to have been expected. But to find single counties in the Island Empire with lavish displays, tons of literature and whole regiments of talking, writing and boasting publicity experts is indeed a surprise. Those Western Americans are certainly good advertisers and they know an opportunity when it crops up. They are taking full advantage of the A. Y. P. and like the bread casts upon the water, it will return to them a hundred fold.

In this respect British Columbia made a terrible fall down. If ever there was a country that needed the advertising to get its emigration, that country is British Columbia, but except for the efforts unaided, of the Vancouver World which has established a publicity department of its own, the coast province is unrepresented.

Alberta however, is "there with the goods." All the Washington and Oregon counties' displays are in the Agricultural building, under the very same roof is the Alberta Provincial exhibit and the Canadian Pacific Land Department's exhibit. The arrangement could not be more advantageous. In fact, the proximity of the two entirely different classes of exhibits

Raymond's Future Assured.

The town has a Pure Spring Water Supply equal to the Best. Excellent Manufacturing Prospects. An \$80,000 Waterworks System to be Installed. Centre of the Greatest Farming District in the West.

Raymond's Annual Fall Fair

Thursday and Friday, Sept. 16th and 17th.

If you are interested in the Agricultural Society's Fair to be held in Raymond on Sept. 16th and 17th, next Thursday and Friday. Call on the secretary, Mr. Geo. H. Budd, at his office and get a prize list. The directors have issued a substantial list of prizes, and it is

and the great contrast in the opportunities offered, constitutes a feature by which Alberta suffers nothing.

When you inquire for information as to homesteads in the West bumps up against a Washington talking machine. He is enthusiastically informed that for One-hundred and Five-hundred dollars an acre he can get sage brush land such and such country, that for a few hundred more per acre he can plant it with trees, get the water to it drive off the tarantulas and rattlers, etc., and that then if the frost does not get his hands he will have in three years for a mere bagatelle of \$10,000 or thereabout, the entire product of 10 acres of fruit all for his own except what he has to hand over to the irrigation company. Most cheerful prospect. The man from Kansas or Missouri usually escaped with a

probable that there will be a grand display of agricultural products on exhibit on the dates mentioned. It is also expected that the second day will be enlivened by a program of sporting events. Don't forget the dates. Be down and see what our district can produce.

slight pallor, but some new ideas about the costs of irrigated fruit lands.

Sixteen steps away he learns that in Alberta he can get all the land he wants for ten dollars an acre. That there are thousands of free homesteads left, that irrigation in Alberta is no more necessary than in Illinois, that the crop this year is worth more than the cost of the land on which it grew and that hundreds of miles of railways are bringing the markets of the world right to the doors of the thousands and thousands of farmers.

Alberta can stand all kinds of comparison like that. In fact the province could well have afforded to outfit several sacks of currency in seeking it. If the Alberta administration made an mistake at Seattle it was in not going in deeper into the Alberta exhibit.



We would ask our Readers to look for an

Announcement

In this space for our
Next Issue From

R. A. GILLIES
Jeweler & Optician

Additional Locals

Continued From Page 8

The Grand Trunk Pacific will have over a thousand miles of road in operation this fall, 5000 freight cars and 175 engines ready for business and a hundred grain elevators handling wheat.

An exchange says: Don't worry about Mrs. Thaw being broke. She owns 1,000 shares of Standard Oil stock, worth more than \$700 a share, and it yields a dividend of 40 per cent. The lawyers know this.

On Wednesday evening next, the 15th, a Grand Cantata is to be given in the Opera House, under the direction of Miss Ella Skousen. About 40 children of our town are to take part in the program, and it bids fair to be a grand success. Be sure to come out and hear what our young vocal talent can do on the stage. There will also be a Matinee at 1 o'clock for children. Don't forget the date.

Geo Roth the well known tailor has been appointed sole agent in Raymond for the Rex Tailoring Co. Ltd. of Toronto. The public will be glad to know that hand-tailored custom-made suits and overcoats made by this well known firm can now be obtained at reasonable prices—\$18 to \$32. A full range of new and up-to-date patterns now ready for your inspection.

Don't forget, the Raymond Fair on Sept. 16th and 17th. On the evening of the 16th a dance will be given in the Opera House for the married folks only, and on the 17th for the young people. You will have a good time, so don't fail to be present.

The Raymond Junior Band are to be competitors in a band competition to take place at the Magrath Fair on Thursday and Friday, September 23rd and 24th. It is hoped the members of the organization will practice faithfully and give Mr. Rouse, their competent leader, good support, and see that the prize money comes to the Sugar City.

Death occurred in town on Wednesday evening, of Mrs. Newell, a highly respected resident of our town. Deceased had been ill for some time, she having suffered a paralytic stroke some years ago. Mrs. Newell was a comparatively young woman about 38 years of age, and was beloved by all who knew her. Much sympathy is expressed by friends for the family in their bereavement. The funeral services are being held in the L. D. S. Church today, after which the remains will be interred in the Temple Hill Cemetery.

The Security Investment Co. building on the corner of Front and Broadway, will certainly present a handsome appearance when completed. The company are having best pressed brick obtainable laid on the front and north walls.

At the time of going to press the program of sports for the fair have not been completed, but we have been informed by the committee in charge that a first class program will be arranged, consisting of horse-races, foot-races, tug-of-war, base ball, foot ball. You cannot afford to miss it, so be here for the 16th and 17th.

Lord Charles Bessford, the great English Admiral who is at present visiting in Canada, has notified the Raymond Agricultural Society that he will not be able to be present at the opening of the great fair held on the 16th and 17th. However our popular president of the Agricultural Society, T. J. O'Brien, will perform the function on the morning of the 16th, by touching the button that will set the wheels in motion of one of the best fairs to be held in the province. It will pay you to be present. Don't forget the dates, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 16 and 17th. Be at the fair and enjoy yourself. We promise you a good time.

The following is a list of the running events to take place on the morning of the 16th of the fair.

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Raymond Opera House

Coming Attractions

Grand Cantata Sept. 15th.

Married Folks Dance

September 16th.

Young Peoples' Dance

September 17th

Opening Announcement

OF THE

Alberta Lumber and Hardware Co. Ltd.

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**All Kinds of Fresh Meats
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Heated throughout. Hot air furnace
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GRAND MILLINERY DISPLAY

Opening Display

WED. SEPT. 15th.

This is our First showing of New Millinery for Fall.

Every Hat New, Ready to Wear

And prices particularly attractive. Children's Bonnets and Hats. You are cordially invited to inspect our fine stock.

Davies' Millinery Parlors

FROM ERIN'S GREEN ISLE

NEWS BY MAIL FROM IRELAND'S SHORES.

Happenings in the Emerald Isle of Interest to Irishmen.

Eighty acres of land were sold at Aberdeen for \$83,000 and auctioneer's fees.

A salmon weighing 40 pounds was recently caught in the Barry near Ros.

The electric light scheme in Charlestown, Co. Mayo, is in full working order.

While spinning for salmon in a lake at Ballina, Mr. Scroope caught a pike weighing 35 pounds.

The furniture and fittings for the new post office at Claremorris are all purchased in England.

It is believed that \$20,000 a year will be paid in the county of Mayo alone for old age pensions.

A young man climbing over the cliffs at Rattin Island, lost his balance and fell, being instantly killed.

Messrs. Lipton, Ltd., have promised to purchase the produce of the improved bacon factory recently opened at Carrigrohane, Ballybrittas, of Matt. Brady.

A Belfast hotel has a notice up that owing to the increased license prices of champagne, champagne, etc., are raised.

The death of Mrs. Rose M. Gaghran, said to be aged 100 years, took place at the residence of her son, Swanigan County, Cavan.

A little boy named John Leslie, Armagh, aged 5, was found in a cemetery in County Durham, with his throat cut from the throat to the neck.

The Irish Department of Technical Instruction has given a grant of \$4,000 for the new year of a school of commerce in Limerick.

The most prosperous county in Ireland, according to the census of Antrim, where depositors have increased from \$5,000 to \$104,000.

Mr. Hanahan, Greeshridge, has taken over the old jail premises in Nass, County Mayo, where he will use as a brewery for lager beer.

One of the oldest and most esteemed residents in Co. Kildare passed away recently in the person of Mr. Thomas J. Downey, 72, of Newbridge.

Mr. Barrow, who recently resigned his position as rate collector in New Ross Union, has been granted a pension of twenty pounds per year.

Mobile Guardians have passed the most discussed question of the situation which has been going the rounds of the public bodies in Ireland.

An arch in the Tassagh Viaduct, in the highest and longest in Ireland, it is on the new line of the Armagh, Ready and Castleblayney Railway.

A grazing farm known as Treanbawn, near New Inn, Co. Galway, was cleared of the new year of the 17 and 17 sheep having been driven on the public road.

The merchants of Ready at a public meeting decided to start a town bakery. A committee was formed, the subscription list amounted to \$1,250 subscribed.

Michael D. Clerly and W. J. Clerly, who were elected to the holdings on the Wase Lower estate at Buhlagan, about 17 years ago, have been reinstated.

A woman named Margaret O'Neil, who had \$7,500 in the bank, which however, she had willed to her niece, was received into the workhouse at Loughrea.

At Belfast S. Margenau, ex-city rate collector, has been committed to trial on a charge of falsifying books of the corporation and misappropriated some \$15,000.

Erlich M'Everett, an American pensioner, at Carnagh County, Donegal, claims that his ancestors can be traced back to the first King of Ireland, in 1600 B. C.

Extra police, armed with rifles and Colt revolvers, were sent to South County Leitrim recently to guard night and day certain ranches which are the seat of the cattle trade.

Owing to the recent curfew in the regulations for purchase on the Ballinagare Estate, several of 40 writs and 30 processes have been issued against the tenants for rent and arrears.

Lord Pirrie, chairman of the great shipbuilding firm of Harland & Wolff, Belfast, has purchased Whitley Court, near Haslemere, one of the fairest estates in England.

An Irish firm secured the contract for the Dublin Electric Light and Tramway from the free grant of \$50,000, which has been obtained from the Department of Agriculture and Board of Works.

The auxiliary workhouse and infirmary land at this place, which was vested in Sir James Mathews, which was vested in the Local Government

Board, has been handed over to the Land Commissioners.

A beautiful limestone Keltic cross standing about ten feet high, has been erected in Slieve Donard, Co. Kerry, over the grave of the late Mr. William Downey, his friends, the local National Teachers.

Kilcomon is a parish containing the town of Hollymount, in which are the remains of some ancient ruins. Military weapons, silk banners and coins of Queen Elizabeth's reign have been discovered here at different times.

One of the workmen employed in excavating the foundations for the new schools at Enly, recently, dug up what was supposed to be the bones of a deer. During the later operations on the same day, he found of a stag of enormous size, and wholly intact was found.

HUNGER ROAD TO WEALTH.

Fat That Has a Remarkable Yogue Tea Years Back.

Mr. W. C. Cowan, a Warrington (Penn.) merchant, suffering from indigestion, was cured by the use of a certain tea. He made up his mind to go without food for as long as he could stand. He had no idea when he started of continuing his voluntary abstinence for more than a very few days. He was, however, so hungry that he felt no inconvenience, so he extended his fast for four or six weeks. At the end of that time he was not only cured of his indigestion, but he was in better health than he had done for years.

What differentiated his fast from that undergone by the professional "fasting men," was that he went about his ordinary business the whole time. He did not drink anything but water, and very little of that.

Of course, the newspapers trumpeted the case far and wide, with the result that scores of other "health cures" started to follow Mr. Cowan's example. Most of them, however, were short-lived, and some few even succeeded in breaking down the health of the fasters.

Thus a Mr. Leonard Thies, of Philadelphia, whose death from indigestion was attributed to a fast of a matter of weeks only, emerged cured and rejuvenated from a fast of the same duration.

A Miss Estelle Kuenzel, also of Philadelphia, went without food for three weeks, and during the twenty-three of which she took regular walking exercise, covering altogether 112 miles. She, too, alleged that she cured herself by this means of a most otherwise fatal ailment.

More remarkable still was the case of Mr. Leonard Thies, a wealthy New York wheat dealer, who subjected himself to two separate fasts, each lasting three days, attending regularly to his business all the time. And the Rev. Dr. Dalgarno similarly abstained from food for twenty-nine days without interruption of his social duties.

THE CAMEL CARPET.

Stolen Value One Thousand Pounds.

An audacious robbery was committed under the very noses of a thousand policemen in the streets of London, yesterday.

On the occasion of the inauguration of the Car of the monument to the late Mr. Dalgarno, a large number of people were present. The Car was laid down with costly carpets.

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WHEN WORKMEN STRIKE

MAKING THE PUBLIC PAY FOR LABOR'S LAPSES.

Greatest Injury Falls Upon Those Who Have Had Nothing to Do With Strikes.

When the cabmen of London struck, three years ago, the public began to realize how useful they had been, and the outcry that followed led to a better understanding of it. And it will be remembered by those who recall their patience was taxed by the numerous strikes of omnibus drivers. There never was a general strike, and for this Londoners had to be thankful, but hundreds of thousands of residents in and around the metropolis were held up morning and night by the withdrawal of omnibuses, says London Answer.

The danger of a great railway strike, with its fearful consequences, was happily averted a short time ago, but in 1897's the public gained some idea of the inconvenience of a strike when the railway men struck. That was the time of the engineers' strike, and, of course, the section of the men responsible for the motive power of our railways was partially paralyzed the companies.

WELSH COAL STRIKE.

In the early seventies England heard with equanimity of a strike of the coal miners in Wales. There was general sympathy, and a hope that the trouble would be settled; but when the coal was scarce, the price rose to two shillings and even to three shillings per hundredweight. The coal was scarce, the price rose to two shillings and even to three shillings per hundredweight. The coal was scarce, the price rose to two shillings and even to three shillings per hundredweight.

Supposing the police force of a great city were to go on strike, it is not difficult to imagine the panic that would ensue amongst householders, and the trouble that would befall the city. The police force of a great city were to go on strike, it is not difficult to imagine the panic that would ensue amongst householders, and the trouble that would befall the city.

LONDON COCK STRIKE.

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CHILDREN ARE DEVoured

DAMBA PEOPLE ARE ADDICTED TO CANNIBALISM.

Account of Survey and Exploration of Lake Region of Central Africa.

Major R. G. T. Bright, C.M.G., gave a startling account of cannibalism and exploration in the Ruwenzori and Lake Region, Central Africa, before the Royal Geographical Society in London recently. The country described is in the neighborhood of the western border of the Uganda Protectorate and the Congo.

Major Bright gave some interesting details regarding the natives of the country through which the expedition passed. The people of the country are a mixture of light and dark races. The natives are a mixture of light and dark races. The natives are a mixture of light and dark races. The natives are a mixture of light and dark races.

CHIEF BENEFIT.

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TO CEYLON BY RAILWAY

NEW BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That Reigns Supreme in the Commercial World.

"Wireless" apparatus has been installed at a station at the North Foreland.

A Norwich schoolboy has succeeded in raising insects by a cricket ball.

The cancelling of a contract by the Chamber of Commerce, and the passing of a resolution advocating that the first naval port be made a cricket ground.

Some schools in Manchester have now started a green blackboard, which is written on with black chalk.

About twenty members of the Russian Corps are shortly to visit England, and will stay at a fortnight there.

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Local and General News Items

We are Always Pleased to insert Local Happenings in these Columns.

Boost for the Raymond Fair, Town Council held a regular meeting on Thursday evening.

Don't forget the Cantata next Wednesday evening, also the Matinee at 4 o'clock.

Fall opening of Millinery hats at Davies' Millinery Parlors on Wednesday, September 15th. See ad on another page.

Theatre goers will be glad to learn of the recent engagement of the San Francisco Opera Co. to our town on the 16th of Oct.

Miss Stacey, of Magrath, was a visitor to town last Saturday and Sunday, the guest of Miss Rita Skomson.

The farmers have no complaint to raise about the weather they are having for harvesting. It is certainly ideal in every respect.

Elevators are springing up in Alberta just as rapidly as can be. It is a safe prediction that they will all be needed.

Miss Katie Neel, of McDuffie Bros Drug Store, is spending her vacation this week visiting friends in Lethbridge.

The Bank of Montreal has opened up a branch of that institution at Spring Coulee.

Several Government Telephone men are in town this week doing repair work in connection with the local exchange.

Mr. Balcoski, of Winnipeg, cattle buyer, was a visitor to town this week.

Morris King Bros, have put on their efficient store service an up to date delivery rig, which is certainly a credit to our enterprising Merchants.

If Uncle Sam is dead stuck on having the north Pole, let us give it to him on conditions that he colonizes the blooming spot.

Now that one of our soles has been found, we should soon learn whether or not the world's axis is fitted with ball-bearings.

Mr. Fortuné will address the "Ladies Aid" on the afternoon of the 15th at 3 o'clock p.m. in the Presbyterian Church. Subject—"Home Mission Work."

Rev. W. Fortime, Field Sec. of the Temperance and Moral Reform League, will address a Mass meeting in the L. D. S. Church on the evening of Wednesday the 15th, at 7.30. Are all cordially invited.

Premier Rutherford in a letter to Alberta's Weekly, predicts that Alberta will be the largest and will also occupy first place in the Dominion, it sure sounds reasonable.

If every subscriber will hustle and pay all arrears to the editor, you will find us in getting ready to dream about writing for an automobile race list, otherwise we will have to be content with smudging the gasoline can—discharge.

The Stukie M. L. A. held an entertainment party in the Opera House last Saturday evening, in honor of the local officers of that body. There were quite a large number of visitors present from different points of the Stukie.

Prof. Miller, editor of the Character Builder, one of the most progressive journals issued in Utah, was a visitor to our town this week. He delivered two very interesting lectures in the Opera House on Monday and Tuesday evenings. Prof. Miller left for Estevan on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Will Rose, of Grassy Lake, was a visitor to town this week.

There is some talk of a good baseball game here for fair day.

Mr. Cahoon, of Cardston, was a visitor to town this week.

Mr. Whaley, of the Great West Life Insurance Company, is a visitor to town this week.

Look for the announcement of R. A. Gillies on page one, in our next issue.

E. H. Harriman, the great American railroad magnate, died on Thursday at his home in New York.

Mr. John Harvey, of Spokane, has taken a position with J. Hawkins at his blacksmith shop. Mr. Harvey is a first class blacksmith and will be a good acquisition to "Jimmie's" staff.

James Hawkins is having a clearing sale of his entire stock of wagons and implements. It will pay the farmers to give him a call.

The character ball last Friday evening, was not as largely attended as might have been. The costumes were not many, but what was there, were very neat and attractive.

Through the province all cities and towns have received during the past few days pamphlets from John T. Hall, of Medicine Hat, Sec. Treas. of the Union of Alberta Municipalities, requesting attendance of representatives to the Fifth Annual Convention which is to be held in Lethbridge, Oct. 8th and 9th.

The object of this union is to the general improvement of every branch of municipal government and administration and for the securing of united action of the municipalities and municipal interests as a whole against the encroachments of corporations and others. To the convention each municipality is permitted to send representatives not exceeding in number the members of the council.

Since the Alberta Government will probably introduce during the next session, foundations of a new Municipal Act, the Union earnestly requests the presence of every delegate who can possibly attend. Amongst the other important features which the president and executive hope to inaugurate is the establishment of a municipal encyclopaedia and bureau of information for the benefit of all provincial cities, towns and villages. At an early date the programme for the convention will be forwarded to all points where notification has been sent by the secretary.

Last April the Department of Agriculture secured a section of land near Medicine Hat for the establishment of a dry farming station. It was the intention to demonstrate the principal of soil cultivation as adopted by Prof. Campbell, of Nebraska, but it was not generally supposed that anything would be done in the matter before next spring.

Some officials recently made a trip over the farm site and found that the superintendent has completed treating about 200 acres. The plow was followed by a heavy steam roller weighted down with stones. The object of the rolling of the land is to connect the upper and lower surfaces of the soil and to bring the soil in close contact with the moist ground beneath. This tends to rot the soil very quickly as it restores the capillary movement of water from the sub surface to the soil in contact with the aid. So quickly is the soil rotting that back-setting is necessary, which will be done shortly. Shortly after the rolling process the Campbell system calls for light steel harrow being placed on the soil which creates a mulch and prevents the escape of moisture from the ground. It is the intention to make the first experiment in fall wheat, and

a large plot will sown this year, probably in August, and the result will be watched with much interest by those engaged in grain growing in Southern Alberta.



Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over eighteen years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion land agency or sub agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm or at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section along side his homestead. Price \$500 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from the date of homestead entry including the time required to earn homestead patent and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of 3 years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

Coal—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of 21 years renewal at an annual rental of \$1 per acre not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N. B. Unauthorized publication of this ad. will not be paid.

DELINQUENT TAX LIST

WARRANT—I hereby direct you to levy upon the lands mentioned in the annexed list for arrears of taxes thereon with costs and to sell the land secured upon pursuant to the provision of the Municipal Ordinance.

John H. Rivers, Mayor of the Town of Raymond. To Geo. H. Bush, Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Raymond. List of Lands to be sold for arrears of Taxes on the Municipal Ordinance of Raymond under warrant of John H. Rivers, Mayor said Town. 1. Brower J. T. Lot No. 23 In Block No. 1, 127 on Plan 4489-2, Taxes \$18.30, Costs \$2.50. 2. G. H. David Lot No. 1, In Block No. 101 On Plan 4489-2, Taxes \$10.35, Costs \$2.50. 3. Gough Wm. Lot No. 3, In Block No. 75, On Plan 4489-2, Taxes \$7.66, Costs \$2.50. 4. Harris C. F. Lot No. 6, 7, In Block No. 66, On Plan 2039-1, Taxes \$4.15, Costs \$2.25. 5. May J. G. Lot No. 4, 1, In Block No. 21, On Plan 2039-1, Taxes \$8.40, Costs \$2.25. 6. Peterson C. A. Lot No. 1, In Block No. 18, On Plan 2039-1, Taxes \$6.50, Costs \$2.25. 7. Pettit Edwin Lot No. 30, In Block No. 21, On Plan 1369-1, Taxes \$14.50, Costs \$2.50. 8. Ryan E. H. Lot No. 2, In Block No. 21, On Plan 2039-1, Taxes \$3.25, Costs \$2.25. 9. Smith Henry Lot No. 6, In Block No. 21, On Plan No. 2129-1, Taxes \$5.00, Costs \$2.25. 10. Taylor Oliver Lot No. 1, In Block No. 18, On Plan 4489-2, Taxes \$10.35, Costs \$2.50. (See above referred to PLANS NUMBERS 2039-1, 4489-2 and 1369-1 are all records in the Land Title Office of the South Alberta Land Registration District.) JOHN H. RIVERS, Mayor of the Municipality of the Town of Raymond.

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